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Title: COLLABORATIVE CONVERSATION CHANNELS

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	20 (including cover)
Claims	9
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- New disclosure information, including:
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- Postcard.

Under 35 USC §119(e)(1), this application claims the benefit of prior U.S. provisional application 60/422,363, filed October 29, 2002.

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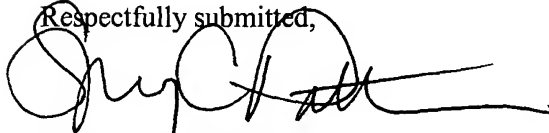
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